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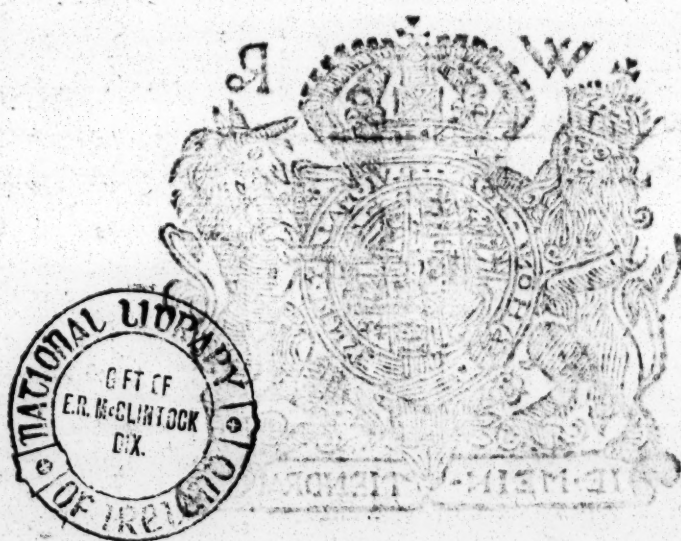
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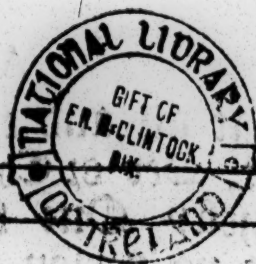
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An ACT for Granting a Supply to His Majesty, by Raising Money by a POLL, and otherwise.

WE your Majesties most Obedient and Loyal Subjects the Commons of IRELAND, in Parliament Assembled, being highly Sensible of our Deliberance wrought (under God) by your Majesties Courage and Conduct, from the power of our Insulting and Irreconcilable Enemies, and of the benefits we have received since your Majesties happy Accession to the Crown, and that we enjoy under your Auspicious Reign; And taking into our Consideration the great Expence your Majesty hath been put to, and is daily at, in the support and Government of this Kingdom, exceeding the Revenue thereof, which is now much fallen, through the want of Trade, occasioned by the present War, Do most humbly present unto your Majesty a free Gift of the several summs of money hereafter specified, towards the support of this Kingdom under your Majesties Obedience, to be Raised and Levied in such manner as hereafter is Expresed: And do beseech your Majesty to Accept thereof, and that it may be Enacted.

And be it Enacted by the Kings Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and of the Commons in this present Parliament Assembled, and by the Authority of the same; That

That all and every person and persons of what Age, Sex or Condition soever, shall pay unto your Majesty One Shilling Sterl. Provided always, that no person shall pay for more then Two Children under the Age of Sixteen years, who is Chargeable by this Act with one Shilling only, and no more.

And be it further Enacted and Ordained, by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every person and persons who at the time of the Execution of this Act shall be of the several Orders, Ranks and Degrees hereafter mentioned, shall for the purposes aforesaid contribute and pay unto your Majesty the several summs of Money hereafter in this Act set down and appointed, (That is to say) Every Arch-Bishop of this Kingdom shall pay the summe of Fifty pounds ster. Every Bishop of this Kingdom shall pay the summe of Twenty pounds ster. Every Dean of this Kingdom shall pay the summe of Ten pounds ster. Every Arch-Deacon of this Kingdom shall pay the summe of Five pounds ster. Every Canon and Prebend of this Kingdom shall severally pay the summe of Fifty shillings ster. Every Doctor of Divinity, Law or Physick, shall pay the summe of Five pounds ster. Every Parson having Two or more benefices with Cure of Souls, of One hundred pounds ster. or upwards, shall pay Five pounds ster. Every Parson having one Benefice with Cure of Souls of the yearly value of One hundred pounds ster. shall pay Three pounds ster. Every Parson, having one or more Benefice or Benefices with Cure of Souls, of the yearly value of Fifty pounds ster. and under a hundred pounds yearly value, shall pay the summe of One pound ster. Every Parson having a Sine Cure, or Benefice without Cure of Souls, of

Of the Yearly Value of One hundred pounds, shall pay the sum of Tenn pounds, ster. And so after the rate proportionably for any greater or lesser Sine Cure, or Benefice without Cure of Souls, being under or above the Yearly Value of One hundred pounds, ster. Every Parson, or Incumbent having but one Benefice, with Cure of Souls, and not residing thereon, or having more Benefices then one with Cure of Souls, and not Residing on any one of them, shall pay for every such Benefice of the Yearly Value of One hundred pounds, ster. the sum of Tenn pounds, ster. And after that rate proportionably for every greater or lesser Benefice. And every Parson having any Benefice, or Benefices, with Cure of Souls, Under the Yearly Value of Fifty pounds, ster. shall pay the Sum of Tenn shillings, ster.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that every Person and Persons who at the time of the Execution of this Act shall be of the several Ranks and Degrees hereafter mentioned, And shall be then within this Kingdom, or hath any Estate in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments in the same, shall pay unto his Majesty the several summs of money hereafter in this Act set down and appointed (that is to say) Every Person of the Degree of a Duke of this Kingdom shall pay the sum of Fifty pounds, sterl. Every person of the Degree of a Marquess of, or having any Estate in this Kingdom, shall pay Forty pounds: Every person of the Degree of an Earl, inhabiting or residing within this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, or having any Estate in the same, shall pay the sum of Thirty pounds, ster. Every person of the Degree of a Viscount that shall be in this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of
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this Act, or that hath any Estate in the same, shall pay the sum of Twenty five pounds. And that every person being of the Degree of a Baron of this Kingdom, who shall be in the same, at the time of the Execution of this Act, or that hath any Estate in this Kingdom, shall pay the sum of Twenty pounds, ster. And that every person being eldest Son of such Duke, who is charged Fifty pounds, as aforesaid, shall pay Thirty pounds, ster. Every younger Son of such Duke, so charged, as aforesaid, shall pay the sum of Twenty five pounds, ster. Every eldest Son of such Marquess, as is before charged, shall pay the sum of Twenty five pounds: Every younger Son of such Marquess shall pay the sum of Twenty pounds, ster. Every eldest son of such Earl, as is before charged with Thirty pounds, ster. shall pay the sum of Twenty pounds, ster. Every younger son of such Earl, as is charged, as aforesaid, the sum of Fifteen pounds, ster. Every eldest son of such Viscount, charged by this Act with the payment of Twenty five pounds, ster. the sum of Seventeen pounds and ten shillings, ster. Every younger son of such Viscount, so charged, as aforesaid, the sum of Thirteen pounds, six shillings, and eight pence: Every eldest son of such Baron, as is before charged by this Act with the payment of the sum of Twenty pounds, ster. the sum of Fifteen pounds, ster. Every younger son of such Baron, so charged as aforesaid, the sum of Twelve pounds ster. Every Woman having the Title of a Peeress of this Kingdom, or who takes place as such by Discent, or by any Grant from his Majesty, or any of his Predecessors, having any Estate in Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, or otherwise, in this Kingdom, or that shall be in this Kingdom at the time of the Execution of this Act, shall pay
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equal with any Peer of the same Degree. Every Widow of any Noble-man, though Married to a Commoner, shall pay one full third part of what her former Husband, being a Peer, or reputed Peer, of this Kingdom, whose Relict she was, should or ought to have paid had he been living. Every Baronet of England, Scotland, or Ireland, or of Nova Scotia, and every Knight of the Bath, residing in this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, or having any Estate in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments in this Kingdom, shall pay the sum of fifteen pounds, ster. Every Knight Bachelor, residing in this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, or having any Estate in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, in this Kingdom, shall pay the sum of Ten pounds, ster. Every Serjeant at Law, being the Kings Serjeant, shall pay the sum of Twenty pounds, ster. Every person of the Degree of an Esquire, or so reputed, or owning, or writing himself such, residing in this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, or having any Estate in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments within this Kingdom, and being of the Age of Sixteen Years, or upwards, shall pay the sum of five pounds, ster. Every Gentleman, or reputed Gentleman, or owning himself, or writing himself such, being above the Age of Sixteen Years, inhabiting or residing in this Kingdom, or having any Estate in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments in this Kingdom, shall pay the sum of Twenty shillings, ster. Every Widow, respectively, residing in this Kingdom, or having any Estate within the same, shall pay one third part rated by this Act, on that Degree of which the Husband of such Wife was in his Life-time.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority
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aforsaid, That all Judges, and every other person and persons having at the time of the Execution of this Act, any Judicial or other Office or Place of profit, or who receibes any Salary from his Majesty, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of three shillings out of every twenty shillings, which he or they do receive in one Year, by reason of such Salary: Every Barrister, or who practices as such, Attorney, Solicitor, Scrivener, Advocate, Doctor, and Publick Notary, shall pay unto his Majesty two shillings out of every twenty shillings, sterl. which they respectively shall receive, by his or their respective practices or professions in one Year: Every Curster, Philazer, Clerk in Chancery, and every Chancellor, Commissary, Official Register, and all other Officers in any Court whatsoever, who receive Fees or Perquisites by their Professions, or Offices, shall pay unto his Majesty two shillings out of every twenty shillings, sterl. which they respectively shall receive by his or their respective Offices, Practices or Professions in one Year: Every Town-Clerk, Treasurer of a County, and County-Clerk, who receive any Salary, or Fee, shall pay unto his Majesty two shillings, sterl. out of every twenty shillings which they shall respectively receive, by reason of their Salary or Office in one Year: Every Master in Chancery, Commissioners of the Revenue, their Secretary and Solicitor, shall pay unto his Majesty three shillings out of every twenty shillings, sterl. which they shall receive in one Year by his or their respective Salaries or pay. Every Collector, and every other person whatsoever dependant upon them, or any of them, and the Clerks of the Commissioners of the Treasury, shall respectively pay unto his Majesty two shillings, sterl. out of every twenty shillings

things they shall receive in one Year, by reason of
 their Salary, Pay, or Fee; The Master of the Light-
 Houses, the Pay-master and Pay-masters-General
 and his and their Deputy and Deputies, the Lord
 High Treasurer and Vice-Treasurer, Commis-
 sioners of Appeals, Commissioners of Forfeitures,
 Commissioners of Accompts, the Accomptant-Ge-
 neral, their Secretaries and Solicitors, shall respec-
 tively pay unto his Majesty three Shillings out of
 every twenty Shillings, sterl. they shall respectively
 receive in one Year, by reason of their Salary or
 Pay; and every of their Clerks respectively, shall
 pay unto his Majesty two Shillings out of every
 twenty Shillings, sterl. which they respectively shall
 receive in one Year, by reason of their being Clerks, as
 aforesaid: The Clerk of the Council, every Clerk of
 the Crown, every Clerk of the Peace, & every Clerk of
 Nisi prius: The Master, Treasurer, & other Officers
 of the Royal Hospital, near Dublin, the Surveyor-
 General, and other Officers of the Works, the Ma-
 ster and Clerk of the Rolls and his Deputy, the
 Auditor-General: The Secretary of State, and
 Secretaries to the Chief Governor; the Kings and
 Treasurers Remembrancers of the Exchequer,
 the Clerks of the Pells, and of the Pipe, the Clerk
 of the Banaper, and all other Officers of the Exche-
 quer, and their respective Deputies; every Judge,
 Advocate, and of the Admiralty, and of the Pre-
 rogative Court of Ardmagh, shall pay to his Ma-
 jesty Three Shillings for every Twenty Shillings
 which they shall respectively receive in one Year, by
 reason of their Pay, or Salary. The Seneschal,
 Judges, and other Officers of the County-Palatine
 of Tipperary; and the Deputy Post-master-General,
 shall respectively pay unto his Majesty the sum
 of Two Shillings, sterl. out of every Twenty Shil-
 lings,

lings which they shall receive in one Year, by reason of their respective Salaries. The Purse-bearer, every Examiner in Chancery, and all other Officers of the High Court of Chancery. Every Doctor, and Practicer in Physick and Chirurgery, or in either of them, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of Two shillings out of every Twenty shillings, ster. which they shall respectively receive in one Year, by reason of their respective Practice or Professions. All and every other person and persons whatsoever, who receives from the King any Salary, or Fee, by reason of his Office, shall pay unto his Majesty Three shillings out of every Twenty shillings, ster. which he or they shall receive in one Year, by reason of such Salary or Fee. All and every other person and persons, not before named, who hath any Place, Profession, or Office of Profit, shall pay unto his Majesty Two shillings, ster. for every Twenty shillings, ster. that he or they shall respectively receive in one Year, for, or by reason of his or their Profession or Office. Every Customier, Collector, Searcher, Packer and Gauger, Taster, Craner and Wharfinger, and Comptroller of the Customs, Clerk of the First Fruits, and every Clerk of the Market, shall respectively pay unto his Majesty Three shillings out of every Twenty shillings, which they, or any of them, shall respectively receive, for their respective Salaries from the King for one year, and Two shillings, ster. out of every Twenty shillings they shall receive for the profits and fees of their said Employments, for one year. The Master-Master-General, the King of Arms, every Serjeant at Arms, the Herald at Arms, the Physician to the State, Elcheators, Tunnager, Seal-Master, and Weigh-Master, shall severally pay unto his Majesty the sum of three shillings,

Shillings, ster. in every twenty Shillings they shall receive for one year, by reason of any Salary for their respective Places, or Offices. Every Comissary of the Musters, every Comission or Warrant Officer of the Army, all Governors or Constables of Castles, Towns, or Forts, and all Lieutenant Governors of Castles, Towns, or Forts, shall respectively pay unto his Majesty the sum of two Shillings, ster. out of every twenty Shillings they shall respectively receive, for, or by reason of their Pay, or Salary, for one year. Every Agent, and Clerk of any Regiment, or Regiments, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of three Shillings, ster. out of every Twenty Shillings which they shall respectively receive in one year, for, or by reason of their said Places, or Employments. All and every person and persons, Bodies Politick and Corporate, or otherwise, who shall receive any yearly Pension, or Annuity, exceeding Twenty pounds, and under Fifty pounds, per Annum, out of any Branch of Your Majesties Revenue, shall pay unto Your Majesty, Three Shillings out of every Twenty Shillings, of such yearly Pension, or Annuity, for one year. And all, and every person and persons, Bodies Politick, or Corporate, who receives any Yearly Pension, or Annuity, of Fifty pounds, ster. or above, out of any Branch of Your Majesties Revenue, shall pay unto Your Majesty Four Shillings, ster. out of every Twenty Shillings, of such Annuity, or Pension, for one Year.

Provided always, That this Act, nor any thing therein contained, shall not extend to charge Thomas Hughes with any sum or summs of Money whatsoever, in regard, or respect of his Pension of Five and twenty pounds, ster. per Ann. payable out of Your Majesties Treasury of this Kingdom, any thing

thing in this present Act contained to the contrary,
Notwithstanding.

And it is further Enacted by the Authority a-
foresaid, That the several summs of Money here-
after in these presents expressed, shall be Levied
and Raised, and paid to your Majesty for the pur-
poses aforesaid (That is to say) The Master
General of the Ordnance: Lieutenant General
and Comptroller of the Ordnance, Clerk of the
Ordnance, and the three Engineers belonging to the
Office of Ordnance, shall pay two shillings for
every twenty shillings, sterl. they shall respective-
ly receive for their Salaries or Pay for one year:
Every Agent, Steward or Receiver, who receives
Salary, Wages or Profits from any Person or
Persons, Bodies Politick, or Corporate whatso-
ever of Fifty Pounds per Annum, or under, shall
pay one shilling, sterl. out of every twenty shil-
lings they shall respectively receive in one year,
by reason or means of being Agent, Steward
or Receiver: Every Agent, Steward or Recei-
ver, who receives Salary, Wages or Profit
from any Person or Persons whatsoever, Bodies
politick or Corporate above Fifty Pounds, sterl.
per annum, shall pay out of every twenty shillings
of such Salary, Wages or Profit, the sum of
two shillings, sterl. And that all and every Sec-
retary, which at the time of the Execution of this
Act, shall receive the sum of three pounds, sterl.
Yearly Wages, or above, for his, her, or their
Service, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum
of one shilling, sterl. for every twenty shillings he
shall receive: And all such Secretaries as shall re-
ceive under three pounds, per annum, Wages for
their Service, Respectively shall pay unto his Ma-
jesty the sum of Six pence, sterl. for every twenty
shillings

ty Shillings by the Year, which shall be due or payable to him, her, or them, for his, her, or their Wages. And that all and every Person and Persons, Bodies Politick and Corporate, Guilds and Fraternities, being within this Realm; and having at the time of the Execution of this Act, any Debts due unto them other then such Debts as are Desperate, or are owing by his Majesty over and above such just Debts as he, she, or they shall bona fide owe, shall yield and pay to his Majesty for every hundred pound in such Debts, the sum of Ten Shillings, sterl. to be paid by the Creditors; notwithstanding any Agreement to the Contrary. And that all and every Person and Persons, being worth one hundred pounds, sterl. in personal Estate who is not herein after Rated at more then five Shillings, sterl. as a Shop-keeper, shall pay to his Majesty for that hundred pound the sum of Ten Shillings, sterl. And that every Person worth two hundred pound in personal Estate within this Kingdom, and is not herein after Rated as a Shop-keeper, shall pay to his Majesty for such his personal Estate the sum of Twenty Shillings, sterl. And that all and every Person and Persons worth four hundred pounds in personal Estate within this Kingdom, and is not herein after Rated as a Shop-keeper, shall pay to his Majesty for such his personal Estate the sum of Forty Shillings, sterl. And that every Person who keeps one or more Coach or Coaches, Chariot or Chariots, Calash or Calashes, with four Wheels, for their private use, within this Kingdom, shall pay unto his Majesty for the same the sum of Four pounds, sterl. And that every Person who keeps one or more Calash or Calashes, with two Wheels, within
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this Kingdom for his private use, shall pay unto
to his Majesty the sum of Forty Shillings,
sterl. for the same.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That every Shop-keeper who shall Inhabit or Reside within this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, shall pay unto his Majesty for their personal Estate, as followeth, (That is to say) Every such Shop-keeper having in personal Estate to the Value of One Thousand pounds, or above, shall pay four pounds, sterl. And that every Shop-keeper that shall be Residing in this Kingdom, as aforesaid, having a personal Estate to the Value of five hundred pound, sterl. and not amounting to the Value of one Thousand pounds, sterl. shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of Forty Shillings. And that every other Shop-keeper that shall be Residing in this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, having a clear personal Estate, to the Value of Two hundred pounds, sterl. and not amounting to the sum of five hundred pounds, sterl. shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of Twenty Shillings, sterl. for the same. And that every other Shop-keeper that shall be Residing within this Kingdom, at the time of the Execution of this Act, and having in personal Estate to the Value of one hundred pounds, and not amounting to the Value of two hundred pounds, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of Ten Shillings, sterl. for such personal Estate. And that every other Shop-keeper Inhabiting and Residing within this Kingdom, not herein before Rated or Taxed, shall pay unto his Majesty the sum of five Shillings, ster. for his being a Shop-keeper.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid,

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said. That every person using any Trade, or Manu-
 rial Occupation, within this Kingdom, shall for
 their personal Estate, respectively, pay unto his
 Majesty, *per rata*, and proportionably as Shop-keepers
 are herein before Enacted to pay.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid,
 That every Gray-Merchant, Traveller, or
 Pedlar, who usually Travels with a Horse, shall
 pay unto his Majesty twenty Shillings, *ster.* And
 that every Gray-Merchant, Merchant Traveller,
 or Pedlar, who usually Travels without a Horse,
 shall pay unto his Majesty ten Shillings, *ster.* And
 that every Merchant-Adventurer, Factor, or Ex-
 changer, for every One hundred pounds he shall be
 worth, *bona fide*, over and above his Debts, at the
 time of the Execution of this Act, shall pay unto
 his Majesty the sum of ten Shillings, *ster.* And
 that every Merchant Residing, or Trading in any
 City, Town, or Corporation within this King-
 dom, not being free thereof, shall pay double the
 sum that such persons who are free, and char-
 ged by this Act, are obliged to pay. And that every
 person above the Age of Thirty years, being a
 Batchelor, shall pay double the sum he is charge-
 able with, by Virtue of this Act, on the account of
 his quality.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid,
 That every person, who at any time before
 the first Sitting of this present Parliament, or since
 hath, or now doth, or hereafter shall, by Words,
 Writing, or otherwise, own, assume, or take on
 him, the Dignity, Name, Title, Honour, or
 Quality, of Duke, Marquis, Earl, Viscount, or
 Baron of this Kingdom, or Baronet, or Knight,
 although such person or persons have no right to
 such Honour, Dignity, or Quality, shall be char-
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ged, and chargable, by the Intent and Meaning of this Act, as if such person, or persons had good Right to the Title, Honour or Quality of Duke, Marquess, Earl, Viscount, Baron, Baronet, or Knight.

Provided always; And be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That no Foreign Protestant Refugee, nor any Widow who is Discharged from paying Hearth-Money, or Chimney-Money, within this Kingdom, nor any Officer in his Majesties Army, who shall be Commanded out of this Kingdom, and shall actually leave the same in Obedience to his Majesties Command, shall be any way Charged, or Chargeable by this Act; nor shall any Person be Taxed and Rated by this present Act, as a Pluralist, or for having more then one Benefice, with Cure of Souls, who hath his Benefices Contiguous, and lives in one of the said Parishes whereof he is Incumbent, where the said Parishes are not worth one hundred pounds, per Annum, or more, nor shall any Person whatsoever, who served as any Officer in Londonderry or Enniskillin, during the late Siege of the City of Londonderry, who is since Reformed or Disbanded, and who hath no Freehold Estate within this Kingdom, be Taxed or Charged in any manner whatsoever, by Virtue of this Act: Nor shall any of the Widows of any such Person, who served as an Officer in the time of the last Siege of Londonderry, either in the said City of Londonderry, or in Enniskillin, who have no Estate of Freehold from their said late Husbands, be Taxed or Charged in any manner whatsoever, by Virtue of this Act: Nor shall the Widow of any Officer or Soldier, who shall be such at the time of the Execution of this Act, and who hath no Freehold

hold Estate in this Kingdom, and whose late Husband, being Officer or Soldier, was Killed or Dyed in his Majesties Service, during the late Rebellion in this Kingdom, be Taxed or Charged in any manner whatsoever, by Vertue of this Act: Nor shall any Person or Persons, who is, or hath the Reputation of a Gentleman, and is not worth Ten pounds, sterl. in any worldly Substance, be Charged or Taxed with the payment of Twenty Shillings, sterl. But every such Person being a Gentleman, shall be Taxed, Rated and Charged with the payment of Five Shillings, sterl. and no more. Nor shall any French Reformed Officers whatsoever, being Protestants, nor shall any of the Officers belonging to, or concerned in his Majesties Customs, whose Salary doth not exceed Ten pounds yearly, be Taxed or Charged as a Gentleman, by Vertue of this Act, Any thing in this Act contained to the Contrary notwithstanding.

Provided also; And it is Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That no Officer of, or belonging to his Majesties Revenue of this Kingdom, whose Salary doth not exceed Forty pounds, sterl. shall pay any Poundage, or be Charged for or in respect of such Salary: Nor shall any private Soldier or Seaman, who shall be, at the time of the Execution of this Act in his Majesties Service and Pay, be Rated, Taxed or Charged by this Act, for, or in respect of his Poll, any thing in these presents to the Contrary thereof, notwithstanding.

And in regard the several Garisons of the City of Londonderry and Enniskillin, in this Your Kingdom, Faithfully and Valiantly behaved themselves in Your Majesties Service: And when
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all other parts of the Kingdom had been over-run by the late Rebellion, those Garisons Defended themselves with great Courage and Constancy, under Your Majesties Obedience. Therefore as a mark of Your Majesties Favour for such their acceptable and seasonable Services. May it please Your Most Excellent Majesty, that it may be Provided and Enacted.

And be it Provided and Enacted, by the Authority of this present Parliament, That no Person or Persons whatsoever who served as a private Soldier, in either of the said Garisons, during the last Siege of Londonderry, their Respective Wives, Widows or Children, shall be Rated, Taxed or Charged by this Act for or in respect of his, her, or their Poll; Any thing in these Presents contained to the Contrary thereof, in any wise Notwithstanding.

Provided also, and be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person who Receives Alms, being Certified by the Minister of the Parish where such Person who receives Alms Resides or Inhabits, or in his absence by the next Justice of the Peace, to be such Person that Receives Alms, shall be Rated, Taxed or Charged by this Act: Nor shall any Person whatsoever be Charged in respect of his being a Batchellour, who by this Act is Charged, and ought to pay for his Poll, one shilling, and no more: Nor shall any Person, being a Menial Servant, at the time of the Execution of this Act: Nor any Officer that shall be in his Majesties Army at the time of the Execution of this Act, be Charged, Rated or Taxed, for or in respect of being Batchellours, Any thing before contained to the Contrary in any wise Notwithstanding.

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Provided always, and be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That neither the Provost, nor any of the Fellows, or Scholars of Trinity-Colledge, near Dublin, shall be charged or rated by Virtue of this Act, for, or in respect of their being Batchellours; Nor shall any Doctor in Divinity, having no Ecclesiastical Preferment, at the time of the Execution of this Act, be charged, or rated, for, or in respect of his quality; Nor shall any Widow of any Ecclesiastical person, be charged, assessed, or compelled to pay, according to the quality of her late husband; Nor shall any Officer of the Royal-Hospital, near Dublin, whose Salary is not above Thirty pounds, yearly, be charged or assessed any thing, for, or in respect of such Salary; Nor shall any Colon or Fort-Majors, Chaplain, or Chirurgion of any Regiment, nor any other Officer in His Majesties Army, under the quality or degree of a Captain, be charged, assessed, or rated, for, or in respect of their Pay, any thing in this Act contained to the contrary, Notwithstanding.

And be it further Enacted, That every person (except Women) and such as are charged by this Act with one Shilling only, and no more, under the degree of a Baron of this Realm, and having an Estate in Lands, Tenements, Goods, or Chattles, of the value of Twenty pounds, and being of the Age of Sixteen years, or upwards, and being within this Realm, at the time of the Execution of this Act, who have not already taken the Oath hereafter mentioned, to His Majesty, and who shall not voluntarily appear before the said Commissioners, or any two, or more of them, and take the said Oath, and make, and subscribe the Declaration hereafter mentioned, which Oath, any two, or more, of the Commissioners, in this Act named, are hereby

herby Impowered and Required to Administer, and make an Entry, or Memorandum thereof, and of making and subscribing the said Declaration in some Book, to be kept for that purpose. Every such person, who shall neglect to appear, or shall not take the Oath, and make and subscribe the Declaration, as aforesaid, shall be charged with, and shall pay to his Majesty double the summs, which by Force or Vertue of any Clause in this Act, he should, or ought to pay, or be charged with, to be Levied, Collected, Answered, Recovered and Paid, in such manner, and by such ways and means as are in this Act expressed, and appointed for, and concerning the Rates and Summs hereby Intended to be doubled, as aforesaid.

Provided nevertheless, That whereas certain persons, Dissenters from the Church of England, commonly called Quakers, and now known to be such, do scruple the taking any Oath, it shall be sufficient for every such person, to make and subscribe the following Declaration.

I A. B. do Sincerely Promise, and Solemnly Declare before God and the World, That I will be True and Faithful to King WILLIAM.

And I do Solemnly Profess and Declare that I do from my Heart Abhor, Detest, and Renounce, as Impious and Heretical, that Damnable Doctrine and Position that Princes Excommunicated, or Deprived by the Pope, or any Authority of the See of ROME, may be Deposed or Murdered by their Subjects, or any other whatsoever. And I do Declare that no Foreign Prince, Person, Prelate, State, or Potentate, hath,
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or ought to have any Power, Jurisdiction, Superiority, Preheminency, or Authority Ecclesiastical or Spiritual within this Realm.

Which Declaration, any two, or more of the Commissioners, appointed for the Execution of this Act, are hereby Impowered and Required to take; and every such person, so making and subscribing such Declaration, shall not be liable to, or chargeable with any of the Double Rates aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the several summs of Money, so as aforesaid, Limited and Appointed to be paid, shall be Collected Quarterly, by four equal Payments: The first Payment to be made on the Second day of February next, The second Payment to be made on the Second day of May next, The third Payment to be made on the Second day of August next, And the fourth Payment, to be made on the Second day of November; Which shall be in the Year of our Lord, One thousand, five hundred, ninety six.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That for the better Assessing, Ordering, and Levying of the several summs of Money, so as aforesaid, Limited and Appointed to be paid; And for the more effectual putting this Act in Execution, all, and every the persons hereafter named, shall be Commissioners of, and for, the several, and respective Counties, Cities, Towns and Places hereafter named, for putting in Execution this Act, and the Powers therein contained, in such Counties, Cities, Towns and Places. (That is to say)

For the County of Ardmagh, the High Sheriff of the said County, for the time being, Sir Nicholas Atcheson,

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Sir Robert Hamilton, **Kt. and Bar.** Arthur Brown-
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 Blacker, Edward Hall, Henry Hunter, John Ha-
 milton and Edward Harrison, **Esq.** And Abraham
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Sir **Gent.**

For the County of Antrim, **Sir** Robert Colvil and
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 Edward Harrison, Hercules Davys, Henry Davys,
 Henry o'Neil, Edmund Stafford, Tho. Dawson, Tho.
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 ments, Rich. Dobbs, **Jun.** Edmund Ellis, **Esq.** Doctor
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Harriman, Richard Wolley, Thomas Burdet, Ur-
ban Vigors, Edmond Jones, John Beauchamp, John
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Sanderlon, Thomas Ash, Robert Sanders, Francis But-
ler, John Warburton, Samuel Townley, Francis
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Charles Hamon, James Hamilton of Killymore,
and Thomas Newburgh, Esqs. Broghill Newburgh,
Thomas Townly, Edward Davenport, Henry Gwyl-
lym, Thomas Fleming, Thomas Hume, John Ro-
binson, William Clark, The Sovereign of the Bo-
rough of Cavan for the time being, and George
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 zar Cramer, Arthur Webb, John Eaton, Charles A-
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sons and Sir George Herbert, Baronets. William
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For the City and County of London-Derry. The Mayors, and Records of Londonderry and Coleraine, for the time being. The Sheriffs of the City and County of London-Derry for the time being. Sir Tristram Berresford, Bar. Sir Arthur Langford, Bar. George Phillips, David Cairnes, Bartholomew Vanhomrigh, Samuel Jackson, Henry Langford, Alderman, William Smith, Alderman, James Lenox, Alderman, Henry Ash, Alderman, John Gowan, Iervis Squire, Esq; Alderman, Henry Long, John Gage, Edward Carey, William Jackson, William Godfrey, George Canning, Esqs; Alderman, William Godfrey, Jun. Tristram Berresford, Hugh Rowley, William Cunningham, Nicholas Downings, Charles Norman, Thomas Dawson, Thomas Church, Esqs; John Harvey, George Thorneon, Robert Bacon, William Bacon, Robert Dent, Thomas Blaire, Richard Lyham, Dominick Heyland, John Hodgson, Hugh Rayneys, Gent. John Galt, Sen. Nicholas Averel, John Thomson, Merchants.

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For the County of Meath, Sir John Dillon, Thomas Bligh, Stafford Lightbourn, William Napper, Garret Weyssley, James Napper, Arthur Meredith, Francis Osburne, Thomas Taylor, Charles Feilding, Sir Charles Meredith, Andrew Ram, Edward Corker, Esq; Doctor Thomas Molyneux, Oliver Lambart, Esq; Sir Arthur Langsford, Bar. Sir Henry Ingoldesby, Kt. Charles Lambart, Lancelot Dowdal, John Woods, Jun. Joseph Deane, Robert Stopford, George Peppar, Anthony Towers, Stephen Ludlow, John Warburton, Symon Peppar, Joseph Prat, Benjamin Prat, Samuel Doppin, Henry Osborne, Edward Ford, John Preston, Thomas Corker, John Percival, Edward Singleton, Esqs; Alderman Graham, Alderman Percival, Thomas Ash, Thomas Loftus, Duke Gifford, Joseph Woodward, William Connelly, Darcy Wentworth, Henry Cadoogan, Richard Jones, William Elwood, John Lee, Esqs; Anthony Bury, James James, Gentlemen. John Wade, Michael Sheilds, Henry Osborne, Thomas Brooke, Henry Langsford, Samuel Jackson, Charles Campbell, Robert Smith Esqs; Richard Shenton, Gent.

For the County of Mayo, Sir Henry Bingham, Bar. William Gore, John Bingham, Robert Miller, Sen. Thomas Bell, Arthur Shene, John Mathews, Owen Vaughan, Esqs; Robert Bell, Robert Miller, Jun. Thomas Browne, Robert Maion, Garret Daniel, Robert Ormsby, Thomas Jones, Samuel Lyndal fy, Francis Palmer, Mathew Bell, William Knox, William Eldwood, John Sherredan, Thomas Cuffe and Robert Ormsby, Jun. Gent.

For the County of Monaghan, Thomas Coote, Esq; One of the Judges of His Majesty's Court of Chief Place in Ireland, The High-Sheriff for the time being, William Barton and Henry Lennison,

Esqs; William Barton, Esq; Henry Lennison, Esq;

Esqs; **Coll.** Robert Echlin and Charles Dering,
Esqs. Dacre Barret, Hugh Mont-Gomery, John
 Ulster, James Corry, James Moore, Arthur Brown-
 low, James Tisdal, John Lesley, Richard Johnston,
 Francis Lucas, **Sen.** Francis Lucas, **Jun.** Bryan
 Norbury, William Wilheart, Blaney Owens, Henry
 Richardson, George Buchanmon, Alexander Mont-
 Gomery, Richard Ley, Joseph Johnston, Thomas
 Chappel, Thomas VVildman, **Esqs;**

For the Queens-County, The High-Sheriff for
the time being, Sir John Mead and Sir Edward
Masley, Esqs. John Weaver, **Sen.** John Weaver, **Jun.**
 Robert Warnford, Walter Weldon, Thomas Piggot,
 St. Leger Gilbert, George Warburton, Richard War-
 burton, **Jun.** William Hartpole, Thomas Carr, Tho-
 mas Cud, Gilbert Rawson, Richard Warburton,
Sen. Richard Handford, John Spranger, John Bar-
 rington, Periam Poole, Richard Prior, **Esqs;** An-
 drew Nisbet, **Clerk,** Dudley Gosby, Abraham May,
Sen. Lancelot Sandys and John Stringer, **Sen.**

For the County of Roscomon, Sir Robert King,
Sir Arthur Cole, Sir Edward Crofton, Baronets.
Sir Oliver St. George, Esq. and Wat. Coll. George
 St. George, Henry Sandford, John King, John French,
 Edward Madden, Arthur St. George, William Caul-
 field, William Neave, John Mahon, Gilbert King,
 John Dagherty, Andrew Blackburne, Theophilus
 Jones, Robert Sandys, Henry Dodwel, George Crof-
 ton and James Donnellan, **Esqs;** Toby Molloy, Gil-
 bert Gardiner, John Mathews and John Ormsby
Gentlemen.

For the County of Sligo, Edward Winchfield,
 Hugh Morgan, Percy Gethin, Roger Smith, Jeremiah
 Jones, Matthew Ormsby, Arthur Cooper, Charles Hara,
 Kean Hara and John King, **Esqs;** Tho. Jones, Thomas
 O'Sullivan, Phillip Cox, James Barret, William Smith,
 Stephen

Stephen Ormsby, Robert Felliot, Christopher Iones, William Harloc, Robert Hart, John Fleming and Mathew Yeeton, Gent.

For the County of Tyrone, Sir Tristram Beresford, Sir Robert Staples, Kt. James Hamilton, Henry Mervyn, Audley Mervyn, Oliver mac Cashland, David Cairnes, David mac Clanhan, Patrick Hamilton, James Montray, Charles Eccles, Archibald Richardson, James Moore, Thomas Knox, John Hamilton, William Stewart, Esq; Thomas Edwards, William Maxwell, William Latham, William Hamilton of Moyagh, George Stewart of Orvitan, Jun. and William Cairnes, Gent.

For the County Palatine of Tipperary, Sir John Mead, Sir Thomas Osborne, Kts. The High Sheriff for the time being, Standish Hartstonge, John Buckworth, Robert Blennerhesset, Oliver Latham, Kinsmill Pennefather, Thomas Cleare, Sen. Stephen Moore, Richard Moore, Jun. Anthony Maude, Samuel Greene, Thomas Carter, William Godfrey, Peter Cook, Sen. Sovereign of Fethard, Richard Sankey, Thomas Batty, John Perry, Thomas Moore, Charles Aleock, William Vaughan, John Cook, Esq; Patrick Hacker, Cl. John Pyke, Esq. Robert Bredin, Cl. Richard Waller, Thomas Sadlier, John Harrison, James Harrison, Thomas Toller, Anthony Carroll, John Hant, John Parker, Jun. Richard Read, William Armestronge, John Armestronge, John Whyte of Cappagh, Richard Newport, Joseph Damer, George Lehant, John Baily, Robert Cole, Broadstreet of Portlagaan, Thomas Squibb, Henry Lee, John Heade, Heston Vaughan, Humphry Minchin, James Dawson, William Smithicke, and Thomas Cuffe, Esq; Mathew Jacob. Andrew Roe, Peter Cooke, Jun. of Carrige, William Lane, Phannel Cook, Jun. William Turvin, John Minchin,

Minchin, George Burdet, John Hunt, Anthony Charnely, John White, **Mayor of Clonmell for the time being**, Thomas Hopkins, Thomas Moakes, Richard Dennison, Phillip Carleton, John Cooley, Thomas Prince, Joseph Biggs, Josias Haddock, Joseph Judkins, Richard Chadwick, Robert Minute, Thomas Salmon, Haack Hales, John Minchin Fitz Charles, Samuel Brogdon, William Latham, Charles Robinson, Henry Cook of Cashell, Morgan Wogan of the same, and David Lowe of Knockally, **Gent.**

For the County of Wicklow, William Hoy, **Sen.** Evan Price, William Mathews, Thomas Burrowes, Robert Stratford, Christopher Coldwell, Abraham Nixon, Richard Whaley, Gideon Delaune, Thomas Whitshed, Peter Craddock, Graydon, Foord, and William Robinson, **Esqs.**; John Price and Richard Edwards, **Esqs.**; Ralph Rule, Peter Ayris, Richard Westland, Richard Hogthead, **Gent.**

For the County of Wexford, **Sir** Nicholas Loftus, **Sir** John Mead, **Kts.** The Honourable Phillip Savage, Robert Wolfeley, Henry Loftus, Mathew Foord, Andrew Ram, William More, John Shapland, John Chichester, Francis Annelley, Cadwallader Edwards, John Harvey, Nicholas Devereux, John Bunbury, John Cliffe, Charles Baggs, Edward Rogers, Arthur Parlons, Anderson Saunders, Maurice Annelley, Thomas Crawford, Onecipherus Phaine, Nathaniel Boyse, Robert Dixon, Josuah Tench, James Underwood, Nicholas Kenneys, **Sen.** Nicholas Rowe, Edward Jones, **Esqs.**; **Mayor of Wexford for the time being**. **Sovereign of Ross for the time being**. Abell Ram, Edward Jones, Josuah Nunn, Richard Wackworth and John Rawkins, **Esqs.**; Talbot Keche, John Hyde, Edward Rottenham, Thomas Barrington, William Annelley, Roger Lyndon and Jeremy Seyms, **Gent.** Black, **Esq.**

for

For the City of Waterford, Richard Christmas, Mayor, Anthony Suxbery, Esq; Recorder, Thomas Christmas, Joseph Ivy, John Mason, James Mutlow, John Hallum, Esqs; Richard Seay, Dennis Loyd, William Dennis, Aldermen, Samuel Frith, Merchant.

For the County of Waterford, Sir Thomas Osburne, Kt. The Honourable Henry Petty, John Mason, Esq; The High Sheriff for the time being, Samuel Maynard, John Biert, William Bucknor, Charles Bouchier, Arthur Shane, George Rogers, William Bolton, James Mutlow, William Dobbin, Thomas Christmas, Henry Nicholl, Richard Christmas, Robert Carew, John Otterington, Arthur St. Leger, Edward May, Timothy Wale, William Bradley, Nicholas Osborne, John Nettles, William Greatracks, Roger Power, William Congreve, Andrew Bagg, William Browning, Edward Hibbert, Richard Biert, Thomas Croker, Esqs; Dr. John Eccles, Archdeacon of Lismore, John Dalton, Cl. Dean of Waterford, Lewis Alcock, Robert Breedin, Clerks, and Symon Radcliffe, Cl. Samuel Hill, Samuel Frith, Beverly Usher, Edward Cranwell and Michael Carew, Gent.

For the County of Westmeath, Sir Thomas Packenham, Sir John Rogerson, Kts. The Sheriff of the said County for the time being, Robert Rochfort, Esq. His Majesties Attorney-General, Oliver Lambert, George Peyton, William Handcock, Walter Pollard, Arthur St. George, Charles Lambert, Thomas Smith, Thomas Handcock, John Wood, Jun. James Nugent, John Cooke, Christopher Nugent, Robert Packenham, Samuel Low, Edward Bertles, Alexander Murray, Thomas Lestranger, Ralph Ellington, John Adams, Lewis Meares, Sen. Lewis Meares, Jun. Henry Wilton, William Saunderson, William

William Gay, Hugh Bowen, John Darby, Baricheus Lowe, Henry Dodwel, William Jones, Arthur Shane, Gustavus Hamilton, Sovereign of Athlone for the time being, and Roger Moore, Esqs; Patrick Dunn, Doctor in Physick, James Pollard, Arthur Judge, Thomas Magan, Dominick French, Thomas Smith of Killtoome, Edmond Brantwaith, John Hanefden, Henry Sybbalds, Oliver Shorne, Charles Smith of Cooleyock, Robert Boringe, Richard Pilkinton and Mathew Smith, Gentlemen.

And the said Commissioners, in order to a speedy Execution of this Act, shall and are hereby required in their respective Counties, Cities, Boroughs, Towns, Baronies, and places, to meet together at the most usual or Common place of Meeting within such of the said Counties, Cities, Boroughs, Towns, Baronies and Places Respectively, on the Twelfth Day of December next. And the said Commissioners, or so many of them as shall be present at the first General Meeting, or the Major part of them, may by their Consents and Agreements, Divide, as well themselves, as other the Commissioners not then present, for the Execution of this Act, into Baronies, Hundreds, Wards, Towns, and Villages; and other places within their Limits, Priviledged or not Priviledged, in such Manner and Form as to them shall seem Expedient. And shall direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants, High-Constables, Petty-Constables, Bayliffs, and other such the Officers and Ministers; And such number of them as they in their Discretion shall think most Convenient to be Presentors and Assessors, Requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners, at such time and place, as they shall appoint not exceeding Eight days; And at
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such their Appearing the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be thereunto Appointed shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the rates in this Act mentioned; And openly Declare the effects of their Charge unto them: And how and in what manner they ought and should make their Certificates according to the rates aforesaid and then and there prefix another day to the said persons to appear before the said Commissioners, and bring in their Certificates of the Names and Surnames, Qualities, Degrees, Titles, Estates, Professions, Employments and Trades, of all and every the persons dwelling, or residing within the limits of those places with which they shall be charged, and of all other things in respect whereof any person is, or may be chargeable by this Act, together with the Assessments of the respective Rates, hereby imposed on each particular person, according to Rules and Directions here of, without Concealment, Love, Favour, Dread or Malice upon pain of forfeiture of any sum not exceeding Five pounds, to be Levied as by this Act is Appointed, And shall also then return the Names of Two or more Able and Sufficient persons, within the Bounds and Limits of those Parishes or Places where they shall be carried respectively, as aforesaid, to be Collectors of the Money due to his Majesty by this Act, for whose Collecting and Paying unto the Receiver, or Receivers-General, his Deputy or Deputies, in manner following; such Monies as they shall be charged withal, the Parish or Place by whom they shall be employed shall be Answerable, which Certificates and Assessments shall be ascertained and returned into the Commissioners, at, or before the first day of January next, which will be in the Year of our Lord, One thousand, six hundred,

dyed Ninety Five. And upon the Delivery or Returning in of such Certificates or Assessments unto the said Commissioners, they or any two or more of them shall forthwith Issue out and Deliver their Warrants of Estreats to such Collectors as aforesaid, for the speedy Collecting and Levying of the said Assessments, and all Monies and Rates due thereupon, according to the Intent and Directions of this Act, of which the said Collectors are hereby Required to make Demand of the Parties themselves, or at the places of their last abode, within six Days after the Receipt of such Warrants or Estreats ; And to Levy and pay in at such place as the Commissioners shall appoint unto the Respective Receiver-General, his Deputy or Deputies ; and the Respective Receivers are hereby Impowered and Required to Call upon, and hasten the Collectors to the said Payments : And in Default thereof, to Levy by Warrant under the Hand and Seals of any two or more of the Commissioners, upon the Respective Collectors by Distrels, such Sum and Sums of Money as they have Received, and as ought by them to have been paid, and are not paid, by reason of their Failure in doing their Duty Respectively, according to the Direction of this Act.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that a true Duplicate of the whole sum Charged within every Barony, Hundred, Parish, Ward, Village or Place Rated and Assessed, pursuant to this Act, without Naming the Persons, shall under the Hands and Seals of Two, or more of the Commissioners thereunto appointed be Returned into His Majesties Court of Exchequer before the Twenty Seventh Day of January next, 1695. (all Appeals being first Determined) And in like manner

manner Within thirty days after each of the said Quarterly Payments, and the like Duplicates be also in Convenient Time made out, and Delivered unto the Receivers General, so as every of them may be Duely Charged to answer their respective Collections and Receipts; And that the said several summs be paid in each County, to such person or persons as shall be appointed by the Chief Governour or Governours of this Kingdom, for the time being, to that purpose, pursuant to this Act: Of which Appointment, Notice is to be given Ten days before the Payment thereof, by Publick Proclamation, to be issued by such Chief Governour or Governours: And that the Payment of such summs, in each County, to such person or persons so to be appointed, and the Receipt under the hands of such person or persons, so Authorized by such Chief Governour or Governours, owning the Receipt of such sum or summs, shall be a sufficient Discharge to the County, or place from which the same is Received, and as sufficient as any Exchequer Acquittance; And upon Return of any such Certificate the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them, shall and may (if they see Cause) Examine the Presentors thereof; And if the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them within their several Limits, shall at the time of the Delivery of the said Certificates, or within Twelve days after, have Knowledge or reasonable cause of Suspicion, that any person or persons who ought to be mentioned in the said Certificate is, or are omitted, or that any person or persons in the said Certificates mentioned, is not, or are not fully and duly Charged according to the true Intent of this Act, the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them, shall

shall have power to Warn such person or persons to appear before them at a day and place prefixed, to be Examined touching the premisses, or any matter which may any wise concern the same: And if the person or persons Warned to be Examined, shall neglect to appear, not having a reasonable Excuse for such his Default, every person so making Default, shall pay unto His Majesty double the Summ or Rate he should or ought to have been set at. And moreover the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them, shall have power by any Lawful Ways and Means to Examine and Enquire into all matters and things, for, or by reason of which, any persons are Chargeable by this Act, and to set such Rate or Rates upon such persons as shall be, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act. That every Collector, for each Parish, shall have Three pence in the pound, for what Money he shall pay to the Collector of each Barony or Hundred; And that every Collector for each Barony or Hundred, shall have Two pence in the pound for what Money he shall pay to the person or persons to be appointed by the Chief Governor or Governors of this Kingdom, for the time being, as aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the Presentors and Assessors for each Parish within this Kingdom, for their labour and pains, and performing their Respective Duties, in the due Execution of this Act, shall have and Receive three pence for every Twenty Shillings, sterl. they shall Assess; and which shall be Received by the Collector or Collectors of each Parish, for which such Assessors or Presentors

tors shall be Respectively appointed as such in pursuance of this Act to be paid by the severall and Respective Collectors of the severall Parishes, which said payment of three pence per pound, as aforesaid, shall by the Receiver or Receivers of the Barony or County, be allowed unto such Collectors Respectively, as good payment for so much; and the said Collectors Respectively are hereby Discharged from any Claim of his Majesty touching the said sum of three pence per pound: And to the End the said Assessors or Presentors may have the more Regard to the due Execution of their Offices, as Assessors or Presentors, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this present Act.

Be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Commissioners before-named, for the Execution of this Act, or any two of them, shall, and are hereby Impowered and Required to Administer an Oath to the Respective Assessors or Presentors of the severall Parishes Respectively appointed them to Assess, in pursuance of this Act, That they will according to the best of their Understanding truly perform the Office of Assessors or Presentors to them respectively Committed, without Concealment, Love, Favour, Partiality, Expectation of Reward, Dread, Hatred or Malice, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act: And the said Assessors or Presentors are hereby Required before they enter into, or upon the Execution of their Office to take the said Oath Accordingly. And for the Careful Writing and Transcribing the said Warrants, Edicts and Duplicates in due time; and for making Certificates upon Appeals.

Be it further Enacted, That the Commissioners

ers Clerks, who shall respectively perform the same, shall by Warrant under three or more of the Commissioners Hands, have and Receive from the Respective Person or Persons who shall be appointed in each County by the Chief Governor, or Governours of this Kingdom for the time being, as aforesaid, to Receive the several Sums, pursuant to this Act, Two-pence in the pound of all such Monies as they shall have Received, by Vertue of such Warrants and Executes, who are hereby appointed to pay the same accordingly. And if any Person or Persons shall refuse to pay the several Sum and Sums and Proportions appointed by this Act for such Persons to pay, within the space of Ten Days after demand, or Notice left at the place of Residence or Dwelling of such Persons by the Officer or Collector of the Place, according to the Precepts or Executes to him Delivered by the said Commissioners, It shall be Lawful to and for such Officer or Collector who is hereby thereunto Authorized and Required for Non-payment thereof, to Distrain the Goods or Chattels of such person or persons, and the Distress so taken, to keep by the space of Eight days at the Costs and Charges of the Owners thereof, and if the said Owner, doth not pay the sum of Money due by this Act, within the said Eight days, then the said Distress to be Appraised by Two or more of the Inhabitants where the said Distress is taken, and there to be sold by the said Officer for Payment of the said Money, and the Overplus coming by the said Sale (if any be) over and above the Charges of taking and keeping the said Distress, to be immediately Reddred to the Owner thereof. And if any Person
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or Persons Assessed by this Act shall refuse or neglect to pay the Sum or Sums so Assessed by the space of Ten Days after Demand, as aforesaid. Where no sufficient Distress can or may be found whereby the same may be Levied; In every such Case, three of the Commissioners by this Act appointed for any such City, County or Place, are hereby Authorized by Warrants under their Hands and Seals, to commit such Person or Persons to the Common Goal, there to be kept, without Bail or Mainprize, until payment shall be made. And if any person Certified, Assessed or Rated find him or her self aggrieved with such Assessing or Rating, and do within five Days after Demand thereof made, Complain to the said Commissioners, or any three or more of them (whereof two shall be of the Commissioners who Signed or Allowed his or her Rate) shall and may within seven Days next after such Complaint, particularly Examine the Party so Complaining upon his or her Oath, touching the same; And upon due Examination or Knowledge thereof Abate, Defaulk, Encrease or Enlarge the said Assessments; and the same so Abated, Encreased or Enlarged shall be Estreated by them in the Exchequer in manner aforesaid: And to that End the said Commissioners are hereby Required to meet together for the Determining of such Complaints and Appeals accordingly.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That every Person to be Rated by this Act shall be Rated at such places where he or she, with his or her Family shall be Resident at the time of the Execution of this Act. And that every Person not being a householder, nor having

a certain place for abode; and all Servants shall be Rated at the place where they are Resident at the time of the Execution of this Act. The Tax upon such Servants to be paid by their Respective Master or Mistress; and to be Deducted out of their Wages; Which Deduction the said Master or Mistress is hereby Impowered to make.

Provided always, That if any person having several Mansion Houses, or places of Residence, shall be doubly Charged by Vertue of this Act, that upon Certificate made by two or more of the Commissioners for the County, City, or Place (which Certificate, the said Commissioners are hereby required to give without Delay, Fee, or Reward) of his or their personal Residence, under their hands and Seals, of the sum or sums there Charged upon him or them, or in what capacity or respect he or they were so Charged, and upon Oath made of such Certificate, before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where such Certificate shall be made, which Oath, the said Justice of the Peace is hereby Authorized to Administer; then the person or persons so doubly Charged, shall for so much as shall be certified, be Discharged in every other County, City or Place: And if any person, at the time of the Assembling, shall be out of the Realm, such person shall be Rated where such person was last abiding within the Realm; And if any person that ought to be Rated by Vertue of this Act, by changing his place of Residence, or by Fraud, or Covin, shall escape from the Taxation, and not to be Rated, and the same be proved before the Commissioners, or any Two of them, or Two Justices of the Peace of the County where such person Dwelleth or Resideth,

Resideth, at any time within Twelve Months next ensuing after such Taxation made; every person that shall so escape from the said Taxation and Payment, shall be charged upon proof thereof, at the double value of so much as he should or ought to have been Taxed by this Act, the said double value upon Certificate thereof made into the Exchequer by the Commissioners or Justices before whom such proof shall be made, to be Levied of the Goods, Chatties, Lands and Tenements of such persons, towards the Supply aforesaid.

Provided always, That the Commissioners within any County or Place, within their respective Limits, or the major part of them, shall Tax and Assess every other Commissioner joyned with them: And the Commissioners within their Division, shall Assess every Assessor within their Division, and as well all summs upon every of the said Commissioners and Assessors, as the Assessments made and presented by the Presentors, as aforesaid, shall be Written, Extreated, Levied and Gathered, as the same should and ought to have been if the said Commissioners had not been Named Commissioners.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Assessor, Collector, Receiver, or any other person appointed by the Commissioners, shall willfully neglect or refuse to perform his Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act, the said respective Commissioners, or any Two or more of them, may, and shall by Vertue of this Act, Impose on such person or persons, so refusing or neglecting their Duties, any Fine not exceeding Twenty pounds for any one Offence, the same to be Levied and
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Certified as aforesaid, into His Majesties Court of Exchequer, and Charged upon the respective Receivers amongst the rest of the Rates aforesaid; And the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them, may, or shall from time to time, Call for, and Require an Account from the respective Receivers of all the Monies received by them of the said Collectors, and of the payment thereof according to the Direction of this Act; And in Case of any failure in the Premises, the said Commissioners, or any two or more of them, are hereby Required to Cause the same to be forthwith Levied and paid, according to the true intent and meaning of this Act. And in Case of any Controversy arising between the said Commissioners concerning the said Rates or Assessments, the Commissioners that shall be concerned therein shall have no voice, but shall Withdraw, during the Debate of such Controversy, untill it be Determined by the rest of the Commissioners; and in default thereof, that the Commissioners then present shall have Power, and are hereby Required to Impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners so Refusing to Withdraw, not exceeding Twenty pounds, and to Cause the same to be Levied and paid as other Fines to be Imposed by Vertue of this Act, are to be Levied and paid; and all Questions and Differences that shall arise touching any of the said Rates, Taxes, Assessments, or Levies; and the Collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by three or more of the Commissioners, upon Complaint thereof to them made by any person or persons thereby Grieved, without further Trouble or Suite in Law; And the said Receiver, his Deputy

Deputy or Deputies, shall give Acquittances Gratis to the said Collectors, for all Moneys of them received in pursuance of this Act, which Acquittances, shall be a full Discharge to the said Collectors respectively, and the said Collectors shall make and deliver to the said Receivers, their Deputy or Deputies, a perfect Schedule fairly Written in Parchment, under their Hands and Seals, Signed and Allowed by any Two or more of the respective Commissioners, containing the Names and Surnames, and places of Abode of every person, within their respective Collection, that shall make default of payment of any the summs that shall be Rated or Assessed on such person, by Vertue of this Act; and the sum and summs charged on every such person, the same to be Returned by him into his Majesties Exchequer, whereupon every such person making default of Payment, may be charged by Process of the said Court, according to the course thereof in that behalf.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That no Letters Patents, Granted by the King, or Late Queen's Majesties, or any of their Royal Predecessors, or to be Granted by his Majesty, to any person or persons, Cities, Burroughs, or Towns Corporate within this Realm, of any manner of Liberties, Priviledges or Exemptions from Subsidies, Tolls, Taxes, Assessments or Aids, shall be construed or taken to exempt any person or persons, City, Burrough, or Town Corporate, or any the Inhabitants of the same, from the Burthen or Charge of any sum or summs of Money Granted by this Act; and all Non-Ob-

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stantees in such Letters-Patents, for any such Purpose or Patent, are declared to be void, and of none effect.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That all Constables, Head-Burroughs, and other His Majesties Officers, shall, and are hereby Required and Enjoyned to be respectively Aiding and Assisting in the Execution of this Act, and to Obey and Execute such Precepts, or Warrants as shall be to them directed in that behalf, by the respective Commissioners hereby appointed, or to any Two or more of them.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Action, Plaint, Suit or Information shall be Commenced or Prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do, in pursuance, or in Execution of this Act, such Person or Person so Sued in any Court whatsoever, shall, or may plead the General Issue, not Guilty; And upon any Issue joyned, may give this Act, and the special Matter in Evidence: And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Non-Suit, or forbear further Prosecution, or suffer Discontinuance; Or if a Verdict pass against him, the Defendant and Defendants shall Recover treble Costs, for which they shall have the like Remedy as in Case where Costs by Law are given to the Defendants.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the Respective Parents, Guardians and Tutors of every Person under the Age of One and Twenty Years, shall upon default of payment of such Person, and upon demand, pay what is due and payable by this Act
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for every such Person Residing in their Family, or under their Tuition, as before herein is mentioned.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That all Money due and payable by this Act, shall be paid by the particular Collectors of the Respective Counties, Cities, Boroughs, Towns, Parishes and Places, who shall Collect the same unto such Receiver or Receivers as shall by his Excellency the Lord Deputy, or other Chief Governor for the time being be appointed, as before is mentioned.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the particular Collectors for payment of any Sums by them Received, unto such Receiver or Receivers so to be appointed, as aforesaid, shall not be obliged to Travel above Twenty Miles from the place of their Habitations.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That every Receiver of any Hundred, Barony or Division, from time to time, within the space of One Month next after he shall have Received the full Sum that shall be Charged upon any Hundred, Barony or Division for each particular Quarterly payment that is to be made to such Receiver, by Vertue of this Act shall give the Commissioners who shall Act in such Hundred, Barony or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal Acknowledging his Receipt of the full Sum Charged upon such Hundred, Barony or Division for such particular payment, and the Receipt of such Receiver or Receivers as shall be Appointed by the Lord Deputy of this Kingdom, or other Chief Governour or Governours

ours of this Realm for the time being, as aforesaid, to every Collector of any Barony, Hundred or Division for so much of the said Assessment as shall be Contained in such Receipt, shall be a full Discharge to such Barony, Hundred or Division against his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors: And for preventing such Unjust Alterations as might be Occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed to make Returns of such person and Persons as make Default in payment of the Sum or Sums on him or them Assessed by this Act; and to the Intent such Person or Persons may return True Account or Accounts into his Majesties Court of Exchequer of such Sum of Money as shall not be Received by them, and every of them, their and every of their Deputy and Deputies.

Be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid; That if any such Person shall Return or Certificate into the said Court any Sum or Sums of Money to be in Arrear, or unpaid after the same hath been Received, such Person or Persons so making such Return or Returns; or shall Cause any Person or Persons to be set Insuper in the said Court for any Sum or Sums of Money that hath been so Received, that then every such Person or Persons making such Returns shall Forfeit to every Person or Persons that shall be Molested, Harmed or Damaged, by reason of such unjust Certificate, Return, or setting Insuper; treble Damages that shall be thereby occasioned; the said Damages, to be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, in which no Essoyn, Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed, nor any more then one Imparance, and shall also Forfeit unto his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors,

Successors, double the summe that shall be so Unjustly Certified, or Returned, or caused to be set Insuper.

Provided alwaies, That all Penalties and Forfeitures; to be incurred for any Offences against this Act, for which there is no way for Levying herein before prescribed or appointed, shall be Levied by Warrant of any Two or more of the respective Commissioners of the Division, or place where any such Offence was, or shall be committed, by Distress and Sale of the Goods of the Offender, rendering the Overplus to the Owner thereof, after Deduction of reasonable Charges for Distraining the same.

And be it further Enacted; by the Authority aforesaid, That the Commissioners in every County, at the General Meeting, to be by them appointed, after all Appeals, shall be first Determined, shall cause Duplicates of the whole Summs charged within every Hundred, Barony, Ward or Place, Rated and Assessed in such County in pursuance of this Act, without naming the persons, to be fairly Written in Parchment, and Ascertained under three or more of their Hands respectively to each Duplicate; And the same so by them Subscribed and Ascertained, shall be jointly and together delivered to the Sheriff of such County, and be by him Transmitted to the Exchequer, at, or before the Three and Twentieth Day of January next.

Provided always that no Person shall be Capable of Acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall take the Oaths, and Subscribe the Declaration appointed by this Act,

I A. B. do Sincerely Promise and Swear,
That I will be Faithful, and bear True
Allegiance to His Majesty King WILLIAM.

So help me God.

I A. B. Do Solemnly and Sincerely in the
Presence of God, Profess, Testify and De-
clare, That I do believe that in the Sacra-
ment of the Lords-Supper, there is not any
Transubstantiation of the Elements of Bread
and Wine into the Body and Blood of Christ,
at or after the Consecration thereof, by any
Person whatsoever ; And that the Invoca-
tion and Adoration of the Virgin MARY,
or any other Saint, and the Sacrifice of the
Mass, as they are now Used in the Church
of ROME, are Superstitious and Idolatrous.
And I do Solemnly in the presence of God,
Profess, Testify and Declare, That I do make
this Declaration, and every part thereof, in
the plain and Ordinary Sense of the words
Read unto me, as they are Commonly un-
derstood by Protestants, without any Evasi-
on, Equivocation, or Mental Reservation what-
soever, and without any Dispensation already
granted me for this purpose, by the Pope, or
any other Authority or Person whatsoever,
or without Dispensation from any Person or
Authority whatsoever, or without believing that
I am or can be acquitted before God or Man,
or

or Absolved of this Declaration, or any part thereof, although the Pope, or any other Person or Persons, or Power whatsoever should Dispen-
with, or Annul the same, or Declare that it was Null and Void from the Beginning.

Which said Oath and Declaration is the same Oath and Declaration intended also to be Admini-
stered to, and be made and subscribed by such, not being Quakers, as already have not taken the said Oath, to excuse them from paying double, as a-
foresaid : Which Oath and Declaration, it shall and may be Lawful for any two or more of the Commissioners to Administer, and take : And they are hereby Authorized and Required to Administer and take the same to and from any other Commis-
sioner. And in Case any Person Named a Com-
missioner for putting in Execution this Act, shall presume to act as a Commissioner before he shall have taken the said Oath, and made and Subscri-
bed the said Declaration, he shall forfeit to his Ma-
jesty the Sum of Two Hundred pounds,

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority afore-
said, That the several and Respective Judges Of-
ficers, Lawyers, Attorneys and Practicers of the
Law of his Majesties Inns in Dublin ; and the
Judges, Lawyers and Attorneys belonging to
the Four Courts shall be Rated and Assessed by
this Act according to such Proportions as are Im-
posed by this Act ; And the Judges, Benchers,
and other Governours of such Respective Places
and Societies, or any three of them, are hereby ap-
pointed Commissioners to put in Execution this
present Act, and shall have like Powers and Au-
thorities,

thorities, as any other Commissioners by this Act appointed.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That every Householder shall upon the demand of the Respective Assessors of the several Parishes or Places give an Account of the Names and Qualities of such Persons as shall Sojourn or Lodge in their Respective Houses, under the penalty of Forfeiting to his Majesty the Sum of Ten Pounds, to be Levied and Recovered in such manner as other Penalties in this Act mentioned are to be Levied and Recovered.

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